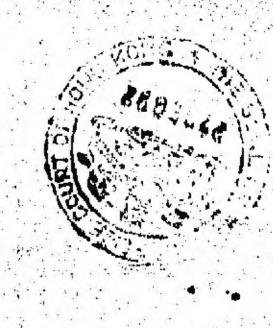
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GRO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager. Hongkong, December 23, 1892. 2245

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Mails. NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIRON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANGAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BURDEAUX : PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. N WEDNESDAY, the 28th December, 1892, at Noon, the Company's Steamship SALAZIE, Commandant PAUL, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marselles, and accopted in transit through Marseilles for the WE ARE A SUCCESS.' principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be grante! till Cargo will be received on beard until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 27th December, 1892. (Parcels are not) to be sent on board; they must be seit at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the G. DE CHAMPEAUA. Hongkong, December 14, 1892. 2196 CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.'s ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP-LINE, CHINA AND JAPAN. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1892. (SUBJECT TO ALTERITION.) Empress of Japan | Wednesday | Dec. 28/92 Empress of China | Wednesday | Jan. 20/93 Empress of India | Wednesday | Feb. 22/93 THE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Liout. GEO. A. LEE, R.N.R., Commander, sailing at Noon, on WEDNES-DAY, 28th December, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, via SHANGHAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA. RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars). FROM HONGKONG, FIRST CLASS. TÙ Vancouver, Victoria, Eq.) quimault, New Westminster, B.C. Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Wash Portland, Ore., San Fran. ciaco, Banif, Onlgarry Alba Winnipag, Man Micr. eapolis, St. Paul, Du. 3 285 428 499 luth Minn. Chicago, Ill., Kansas City,) St. Louis, Mo Milwaukee, Wis Detroit, Mich., Cincincati, Cleveland, Columbus, 0 Hamilton, London, Toron 305 458 534 to, Ont..... Buffalo, Niagara Falls N. T. Kingston, Ottawa, Ont., Montreal, Quebec, Que New York, Albany, Troy, Rochester, N.Y.

......... 335 Hamburg 2nd class steamer and 1st class on mil, and 2nd class steamer and rail, also Steer. age Fares and Ratus to other places, quoted on application. The Steamers call at Victoria to land and embark Passengers. Roturn Tickets .- Time limit for prepaid · return ticket is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarking at Vancouver. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

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land, France, and Gormany by all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Nava Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China or, Japan, and to Government officials. CARGO. - Through Bills of Lading issued

to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Van-

PARCELS must be sent to the Company's office with address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day provious to sailing. For Further information as to Passenge

and Freight, apply to E. HOLLOWAY, General Agent. - OFFICE : Pedder's Street. Hougkong, November 30, 1892. 2099 NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

AND RAILROAD COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1892.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

Flintshire | Thursday | December 29. Victoria..... | Thursday | January 26. Tacoma...... | Thursday | February 23. A STEAMER..... Thursday | March 23. AND THEREAFTER THE PERMANENT SERVICE OF THE COMPANY'S RECULAR STRAMERS.

THE Steamship WLINTSHIRE, Capt. DWYER, tailing at Noon, on THURS. DAY, the 29th December, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, vid SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and

YOKOHAMA. Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United

States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The General Agent Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 p.m., on the day previous to stiling. .

For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Anna - Angel

Hongkong, December 23, 1892, Hongkong, December 5, 1892.

To-day's Advertisements.

Entertainments.

AT WEST POINT.

HIPPODROME and MENAGERIE.

ENTIRE CHANGE

TO-NIGHT.

A FEW FACTS:

WE HAVE THE GREATEST ARTISTS.

WE PRESENT A CHANGE."

THE GRAND STEEPLECHASE.

Introducing our Celebrated Jumping Horses

from Australia and New Zealand. Any

Gentleman Rider desiring a mount can

Box Plan on view at Kelly & Walsh's,

Hongkong, December 23, 1892 2248

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

WEDNESDAY, 28th December.

THE SONS OF NEPTUNE

(OFFICERS & MEN OF H. M. FLEET),

in the Original, Sparkling and Novel

Nautical Entertainment,

THE VOYAGE OF H.M.S.

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(IN TWO ACTS),

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Under the special patronage of H.R.H.

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RAVENHILL and the OFFICERS of the

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The Performance is given under the

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Prices of Admission:

Dress Circle and Stalls.....\$2.00

Pit...... 1.00

Soldiers, Sailors and Polico (in uniform)

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Doors open at 8.30 p.m.

Performance at 9 p.m. precisely.

SPECIAL TRAMS 15 minutes after

Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. Lane,

CRAWFORD & Co.'s, where a Plan of the

Theatre may be seen. Books of words (20

Conts each) may be had from Messes.

To-day's Advertisements

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Arratoon Appar having arrived

of Cargo are hereby informed that their

Cargo impeding the discharge or remain-

ing on board after the 27th Instant will be

landed at Consigness' risk and expense into

the Godowns of the WANCHAL WAREHOUSE

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

NORDDEUTSOHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BAYERN,

FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

OF CALL.

being landed and stored at their risk into

OPCIONAL CARGO will go on to Shanghai

remaining undelivered after the 30th Dec.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

All Claims must reach us before the 31st

MELOHERS & Co.,

are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on THURSDAY, the 29th

December, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Noon To-DAY, the 23rd Instant.

will be subject to rent.

December, at 4 p.m.

the Godowns of the Hongrong AND Kow-

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Ox,

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Hongkong, December 23, 1892.

AND STORAGE Co., LTD., Wanchai.

Goods will be delivered from alongside.

from the above Ports, Consigness

Hongkoug, December 22, 1892.

325 575 650 10 N.B.—Proceeds will be handed to

local Charities.

Performance each evening.

NORONHA & Co.

MONDAY, 26th December,

Europe.

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ROBERT LOVE,

Acting Manager.

ROYAL,

SATURDAY, 31st December.

WE HAVE MORE TO COME.

WE ARE THE BEST CIRCUS.

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WE REEP OUR WORD,

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PUBLIC AUOTION. FIGHE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. NAVALSTOREKEEPER,

HARMSTON & DONE to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th January, 1893, at Noon, at H.M.

Naval Yard,-SUNDRY NAVAL & VICTUALLING CONDEMNED STORES,

comprising :-PAPER STUFF, OLD TROM, CHAIN CABLE, WIRE ROPE, HOSES, CARVAS RUGS, CLOTH-

ING and PROVISIONS. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Government Auctioneer. Hougkong, December 23, 1892.

TO LET. TITWO LARGE GODOWNS Nos. 231 and 23s, under the Victoria Hotel Buildings, PRAYA CENTRAL Two GO.

DOWNS, Nos. 89 and 90, Phaya East. Apply to VIOTORIA HOTEL

Hougkong, December 23, 1892.

FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship Lycemoon,
Captain G. Hevremann,
will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 27th Inst., have one by applying to the Manager

at & p.m. for Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, December 23, 1892, STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA. SAKI AND KOBE. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s 1

Steamship Captain W. D. Mudie, will have immediate despatch for the above places after the arrival of the English Mail about SATURDAY, the 31st Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to H. H. JOSEPH,

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, December 23, 1892.

DAKINS PURE VOLATILE EUCALYPTUS OIL. DISTILLED FROM THE LEAVES OF SELECTED SPECIES OF EUGALYPTUS.

HOUSEHOLD REMEDY' in England, Eleven race horses from Shanghai. India, and the Colonies and in Australia it | The British steamer Arrateon Apour reis used for nearly every known disease. ports: Left Singapore on the 13th Dec. When applied externally it has a powerful From Horsburg light till latitude 18° N., stimulant and soothing action but does not strong monsoon and heavy confused sea. As performed over 70 times with immense blister the most sensitive skie, and no ap- On the 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th; obliged success at the Royal Naval Exhibition plication known will so quickly subdue the to ease down to 3 to 4 knots per hour; 1891, and before the Royal Family and pain of muscular rheumatism. several of the Crowned Heads of Taken internally in small doses, it acts | wind and moderate N.E. sea.

se a powerful stimulant and antipasmodic whilst its secondary action induces aleep. The penetrating agreeable vapor of the Oil is sedative, and when inhaled relieves Asthma, Bronchitia, Catarrh and Sore By kind permission of Licut. Colonel Throat It is also a most powerful antiseptic and

guarantee this Oil, prepared specially for Tobacco. For Italy, 105 bales Raw Silk. His Excellency Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON, us, to contain the largest obtainable per-Vice-Admiral the Honourable Sir EDMUND centage of Eucalyptol and twice that of the

ordinary Eucalyptus Oil of commerce. Sold in Bottles @ 50 Cents and \$1.00. DAKIN, ORUIOKSHANK & Co., LTD.,

Victoria Dispensary.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. December 23 :-

Flintshire, British steamer, 1,876, Dwyer, Yokohama December 18, General. - Don-WELL, CARLILL & CO. Cosmopolit, German str., 551, W. T. Schasfer, lioilo December 17, Sugar.

WIELER & Co. Apenrade, German atr., 610, Hohlmann, Haiphong December 20, General. -- Willer

Thales, British Steamer, 820, Bathurst, Taiwanfoo Dec. 19, Amoy 21, and Swatow 22, General. Douglas STRAMSHIP Co. Bayern, Gorman steamer, 4.645, H. Engelbart, Bremen Nov. 24, and Singapore Mr Geo. Burnett-Dec. 15, Mails and General.—Melcheks & Mr. José F. Constan-Mr & Mrs L. Lachal

Dardanus, British steamer, 1,507, Purdy, Liverpool Novem or 3, and Singapore Dec. 14. General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE. Swift, British gunboat, 756, Captain F. G. Kirby, Swatow December 22.

Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,504, Lancaster, Shanghai December 20, General.-C. M. S. N. Co.

Arratoon Apear, British steamer, 1,392, J. E. Hansen, Calcutta via Penang, and Singapore December 13, General .-- DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

DEPARTURES. December 23:--Fu Ping, for Whampoa. Formosa, for Swatow. Ask, for Haiphong Tamsui, for Shanghai. Chinto, Chinese cruiser, for Canton. OLKARED.

Bayern, for Shanghai.

THE above-named Steamer having ar Numberg, for Yokohama. rived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby Wosang, for Shanghai. informed that their Goods, with the excep- Sigurd, for San Francisco. tion of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are Pakshan, for Swatow. Tainan, for Yokohama. LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LAD. Glucksburg, for Saigon. Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Avechie, for Hosgay. unless notice to the contrary be given before Georgietta, for Bangkok. Frejr, for Hoihow and Pakhol. No Claims will be admitted after the Namou, for Coast Ports. Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods | Charters Tower, for Kutchinotzu. Banta Cruz, for Caroline Islands.

PASSENGERS. Per Flintshire, from Yokohama, 146 Chi-Per Apenrede from Haiphong, 6 Chinese. Per Bayers, from Bremen, &c., Lient.-Captain Kretachman, Mr F. W. Bandow, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Mr and Mrs Kokstrand, Mrs Bunger, Mr and Mrs Pigot, Mesars Olson, Engelbart Secker, Adolf Velhagen, Sven Horup, W. 2255 A. Alk, Mr and Mrs Asch, and 282 Chinese,

Vessels Advertised at Loading.

Date o' Leavin :

P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Dec. 31.

the 24th inst.

the 24th inst.

the 24th inst.

24th inst.

25th inst.

For SINGAPORE .-

the 27th inst.

day, the 28th inst.

till time of departure.)-

Letters, 5 p.m.

For SHANGHAL .-

For SWATOW .-

For CANTON .-

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Veastle. Destination. Jardine, Matheson&Co About Dec. 28. Batavia, Samarang, &zo, Bantam (8)...... Norddeutscher Lloyd, Jan. 8, at 10 a.m. Bremen & Ports of Call Bayer's (8)..... Jardine, Matheson&Co About Dec. 30. H've & L'don, v. S. C'nl Glenshiel (5)..... Siemssen & Co...... Dec. 24, at Boon. Kobé Exe (a).... Butterfield & Swire .. Dec. 24, at noon. London, v. Suez Canal Titan (a)..... Arnhold, Karberg & Co. About Dec. 30. London, v. Ports of Call Pakling (8)..... Messageries Maritimes Dec. 28, at most. Maraeilles, v. Saigon . Salazie (a)..... Jarding, Matheson&Co About Dec. 27. New York, v. SuezCanal Gleneak (a)..... Dodwoll, Carlill & Co. About Dec. 30. New York, v. Suez Canal Port Adelaide (s) Shewan & Co..... About January 9. NewYork, v. SuezCanal Worcester (s)...... S. Francisco, v. Japan City of Peking (s)..... Pacific Mail S. S. Co., Dec. 31, at I p.m. O. & O. S. S. O Jan, 19, at 1 p.m. S. Francisco, v. Japan Belgic (8)....... Shewau & Co.....Quick despatch. Siemssen & Co..... Dec. 27, at 4 p.m. San Francisco.........Sigurd ... Shanghai Lyeemoon (8)...... Butterfield & Swire ... December 29. Shanghai, via Amoy... Teucer (a) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About January 1. Shanghai, Y'ma& H'go Teviot (8)..... Siemssen & Co....... Dec. 28, at noon. S'pore, Havre & H'bury Bellopa (s) Douglas Lapraik & Co., Dec. 25, daylight.
Canadian P'fic R. Co., Dec. 28, at noon. S'tow. Amoy & F'chow Namoa (*)...... Vancouver (B.O.). & Empress of Japan (s). Nor. P'fic S. & R. Cos. Dec. 29, at noon. Victoria (B.C.), &c. ... Flintshire (s) ... Butterfield & Swire ... Doo. 24, at 10 a.m. Yokohama and Kobe. Taman (8).....

Per Dardanus, from Liverpool, Mr and MAXLS will close:-Mrs Muster, child and servant, Mr and Mrs Turner, Miss Pollock, Miss Beadon, Mr. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW .-Platt, Mrs Boly, and 270 Chinese. Per Fushun, from Shanghai : for Canton. 89 Chinese ; for Hougkong, Means J. G. For SHANGHAL -Smith, Ogilvie, Ishimora, and Tata, and 107 Chinese. Per Arratoun Apour, from Calentta, &co.,

Y'hama, v. N'ki & Kobé Ancona (s)......

Mrs Hansen, Mrs Ezra Nissien and daughter, and 435 Ohinese. To DEPART. Per Wosang, for Shanghai, 10 Chinese. Per Pakshan, for Swatow, 12 Chinese. Per Glucksburg, for Saigon, 100 Chinese. Per Freir, for Pakhoi, 30 Chinese.

Per Namea, for Swatow, 180 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Thales reports: Left Taiwanfoo 2.30 p.m. on 19th December, strong wind N.N.E. and high sea ; 9.30 anchored in Battery Bay (Pescadores), and left 6 a.m. on 21st, for Amoy, moderate wind and sea. Amoy to Swatow, light winds and fine weather. Thence to port, light airs and calms. Steamers in Amoy,

Chefoo, Hiego Maru and Diamond. Steamers in Swatow, Kaifong and Toonan. The German steamer Bayern reports: Experienced during the royage in the Red Sea, moderate Northerly winds; in the Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal, moderate and fresh N.E. monsoon; in the Malacca Straits, rain in torrents; and in China Sea, prevailing strong N.E. wind and a light Post Office will be closed on Saturday, the confused sea as well as a strong current to 24th, Monday, the 26th, and Saturday, the

The British steamer Dardanus reports : respondence can be posted as on Sundays. the S.S.W. Had strong monsoon, high seas, and had Leiters for the Peak and Kowloon may be weather generally all the way up. The Chinese steamer Fushun reports : be kept open. Had light Northerly winds, with fine clear

from latitude 18° N. to arrival strong N.E.

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per S. S. Formosa, sailed 22nd December; For London, 195 bales Waste Silk, 3 cases Silk Piece Goods, 6 cases Blackwood Ware, 12 cases Sundries, 1,011 boxes fee, containgermicide being three times as effectual as ing 21,231 lbs. Congou, 5,358 boxes Tea, Carbolic Acid in preventing development containing 112,452 lbs. Scented Caper, 1058 of Bacteria, its mass in this direction being boxes Tea, containing 22,218 ibs. Scented Orange Pekoe, 18 boxes Tea, containing The active properties of the Oil depend 378 fbs. Sorts. For France, 671 bales Raw upon a Terpone called Encalyptol and we Silk, 6 cases Silk Piece Goods, 170 bales

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POST OFFICE NOTICES. MATLS will close:-

For YOKOHAMA & KOBE. Per Tainan, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 24th inst., instead of as previously notified. For SINGAPORE & LONDON .-

Per Titan, at 9 s.m., on Saturday, the 24th iost., instead of as previously. notified.

Per Etc. at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 21th inst., instead of an previously MEMUS. FOR TO-MURKOW. Shipping.

10 s. m. - Trinan leaves for Japan. Noon. - Titan leaves for London. Noon. - Ere leaves for Kobé.

Amusements. 9 p.m. - Harmston & Sons' Grand Circus and Monagorio, at West Point. Miscellaneous. Local Banks close.

Insurance Offices close.

2 p.m .- Rifle Match. General Memoranda. MONDAY, December 26 :-Kowloon Customs Office close. Local Banks close. Insurance Offices close. Tusspay, December 27 :after this date landed.

FRIDAY, December 30 :-Goods per Bayers undelivered after this date arbject to rent. Monday, January 2:-Issue Interest Warrants of Canton Insur-

WEDNESDAY, January 4:-Noon,-Auction of Sundries at H.

Exchange. HONGKONG, December 23. On London-Bank, Wire, Documentary, 4 months sight, In Paris-On demand, Per Bellena, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-FOR YOKOHAMA & SAN FRANCISCO. Un New York--(Supplementary Mail at 9 a.m., oa Credits, 60 days' sight, Saturday, 31st instant, no extra postage. Late Letterson board from Noon on Bombay-Per City of Peking, on Friday, the 30th instant. Registration, 4.45 p.m. In Calcutta -

XMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS :- The On demand. 30 days' sight, private paper, Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tant) 31st instant, except from 8 to 9 a.m. Corposted up to 9 a.m. The Night Box will

The Muney Order Office will be entirely closed on those days. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY Co.'s PACKET.

The British Contract Packet Empress of Jupan will be despatched on WEDNES-DAY, the 28th Instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Canada, the United States of America, and countries beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. -

10.00 A.M. Regis ry closes. 11.30 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Cerrespondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .--The French Contract Packet Salorie will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 28th List., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places be CHOCOLATE CREMES, youd, vid Marseille; to Saigon, Straits

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed

closing the Mails, &c. HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. - Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars coasss. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are ked in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

one way). 10.00 a.m.-Registry courses. 10.30 A.M.—Pesting of Newspapers,

Books, and Patierns ceases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes. ESTLATE LISTEES may be posted (from 11.10 A.H.) with 10 cents late fee up to be sent on Board with the same Late

Quotations. HONGKONG, December 23, 1892. OPIUM-New Pates, cash, ... 5771 Old , cash, ... New Bonares, cash, 5771 cash. -New Malwa crodit, 520 Allowance, Catties, 13/33 Old Malwa, credit, 530/40 Allowance, Catties, 1/4 Persian, Uily, cash, 460/70 Allowance, Catties, 3/5 Perman, Paper tied 460/70 Allowance, Catties, 3/5

HONGKONG REGISTER. Previous On date at; On date at daystip.m. 10 a.m. 30.15 30.25 Barometer ... Humidity Direction of] Wind ... Force Weather

Highest open air tempetature on the mail. Hongkong, December 23, 1892.

Temperature. (Taken al Messes Falconer & Co.'s Promises, Queen's Road.) 30.08 4 P.M. THERNOMETER-D A.M 1 r.M.... 4 P.M (Wet bulb) 9 A. M. 61 1 P.M. 64 4 P. M. 65 Do. Maximum over night 58 Honoxong, December 23, 1892,

9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. Goods per Arratoon Apear undelivered 8.30 p.m. - Mesting of Zetland Lodge. WEDNESDAY, December 28 :-5.30 p.m. - Meeting of Diligentia Lodge. 9 p.m.-Performance at the City Hall. Per Namoa, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, ance Office, Ltd. Per Wosang, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, Per Heungshan, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, Por Pakshan, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the Per Powan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the Per Lycemoon, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

On demand, ... 2/8 30 days' sight, ... 2/84 4 months night, ... 2/9 Credits, 4 months' night, 3,50. In Berlin-Demand, 2.76 On demand, On Shanghai-Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 7.20

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11.30 A.M., after which hour they may CALLARD & BOWSER'S

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Hongkong, November 9, 1892.

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HONGHONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1892.

TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL']

(Via Southern Line.) THE PANAMA CANAL SCANDAL. London, 22nd December, 1892. The French Chamber has agreed to prosecute the Senators and Deputies connect-

ed with the Panama Canal Scandal.

Suez Canal Company. (From Le Courier d'Haiphong.)

M. Gulchard, vice president, takes the

place of M, de Losseps as president of the

LEGAL CHANGES IN FRANCE. Hanoi, Dec. 17, 4.30 p.m.-A telegram from Paris announces that M. Quesnay de Beauropaire, Procureur General, in appointed President of Chambers in the Court of Cassation in place of M. Tanon, who is appointed Procureur General.

NEW FRENCH MINISTER OF FINANCE. M. Rouvier, Minister of Finance, has resigned, and is succeeded by M. Tirard.

THE PANAMA CANAL INQUIRY. All documents connected with the Panama Canal have been handed over to the Commission of Inquiry.

(From Singapore Papers.)

PROPOSAL OF THE FRENCH DELE-GATE TO THE MONETARY. CONFERENCE.

London, December 12.-It is expected that the International Monetary Conference will close its sittings on Thursday London, December 14. The Delegate from France to the International Monotary Conference has broached a scheme for the issue of warrants against the deposits of silver similar to the Glasgow plg-fron

the weight of silver deposited but not to be an international currency. ANOTHER M. P. UNSEATED. Mr H. D. Davies (Conservative) M.P. for Rochester has been unscated for corrupt practices at the election.

warrant, such warrants to simply specify

(From the Penang Gazette.)

RUSSIA AND CHINA. London, 9th December. -The Times, in an uspired article, says that the Chinese Ambassador has been expressly instructed to impress upon Russia that China will regard any encroachment upon Alichur or the Pamirs as a very serious matter. Moreover, the Chinese Government has just decided to extend the telegraph to Urumtai.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s s. s. City of Peking, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to November 26, left Yokohama for this port on Monday, Dec. 19, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, Dec. 24.

The M. M. Co. a steamship Oceanien, with the FRENCE MAIL of November 25, left Singapore on Thursday, Dec. 22, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, Dec. 29. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Oct. 19.

The D. D. R. s. s. Aglain, from Hamburg, left Saigon for this port on Dec. 21, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 25. The Glen Line steamship Glengyle, from London for this port, left Singapore

on Dec. 17, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 25. ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -UHRISTMAS DAY. Matins :- Processional, Hymn 60; Venite, Crotch ; Proper Psalme, Monk, Ouseley, Macfarren & Turle ; To Deum. Rodgers in D : Jubilate, Garrett in

Barnby; Kyrie, Sangster; Nicene Creed, Marback; Hymn.; Offertory Sentences, Barnby.
Evensong:—Proper Psalms, Hayes, Woodward, Monk & Ouseley : Magnificat & Nune Dimittis, Bunnett in Ft. Anthem, 'In the boginning was the word;'

D; Authem, Sing and Rejoice,

Hymns, 58 & 307, (Allen). ELEVEN ponies arrived from Shanghai today per the steamer Fushum.

Tun China Mutual Co.'s s. s. Kintuck, from Prout, &c., &c. London, Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore for this port this morning.

Tere appointment is gazetted of E. M. Sprot, Second Lieutenant, to the King's Shropshire Light Infantry, in auccession to Lieutenant F. A. Burnett, deceased. The following appointment is also notified :-Lieutenant-John D. Edwards to the Pallas (to date Nov. 18).

THE British steamer Phinishive arrived from Yokohama this morning and went direct to the quarantine ground. One of the crew is ill with small-por. She has on board 146 Chinese passengers from Vancouver, transhipped from the Zambesi, which is undergoing repairs owing to the damage she sustained in the collision with the Hokumon Maru.

WE are asked to intimate that there will be a short liturgical service to-morrow (Christmas-eve), at 5 p.m., in the German Betheada Chapel, on which occasion the girls of the Berlin Foundling House will aing German and Chinese Christmas songs. After the service, the Christmas tree will be lit in the Foundling Home, and the presents distributed to the children. All the friends of the Home are invited to attend.

MR Richard S. Simmons, who was only recently appointed caretaker of the Recreation Ground at Happy Valley, died last night in the Government Civil Hospifrom phthisis. He leaves a widow and several children. Until a few months ago, Mr Simmons was in the Police Force, retiring on pension after serving ten years. He was formerly in the Bristol Police Force. The funeral this Afternoon was attended by a large company of his former comrades by 1976 whom he was much respected,

THERE will be celebrations of the Holy H.M.S. Swift (Captain Kirby) arrived from Communion on Sunday (Christmas Day) Swatow to-day. in the Cathedral at 7.30, 8.30 and 11.00 a.m.; and in the Peak Church at 8 a.m.

WE are requested by the Director of St. Joseph's College to return the best thanks the power to sell the concern, the Straits and will yield to a steamer under way. of the Brothers of the Christian Schools to Insurance Company would, in all prothe following donors who have generously contributed to the Prize Fund this year: course, no definite offer can be made until -Hon. E. R. Belilion . Hon. C. P. Chater; G. Gueyraud, French Consul; A. G. Romano, Portuguese Consul; Mosars H. N. Mody, J. A. de Carvalho, D. Noronha, E. Danenberg, F. Roza, and G.

THE Chinese Mail (Wa Ter Yat Po) in its yesterday's issue chronicles another disas- on a much smaller scale than under the trous fire at Sangkiaug, in Kwangsi, similar present regime, should speedy sid from to and almost simultaneous with the recent great fire at Kam Li. It occurred in a to lend two hundred thousand tools, refustheatre while a performance was going on ing to be responsible for a million tacks and resulted in the death of a large number of people. It is not stated how many would buy the thines up and work them viction there actually were, but the fact for his own benefit!" that enough coffins could not be procured Till Shanghai Mercury's Newchwang corto suffice for the number of bodies reco- respondent, writing on the 7th instant, vered after the fire shows that this calamity was, like that at Kam Li, one of appalling A quack doctor succeeded in deluding some dimensions.

Ar the Magistracy to-day four Chinamen were charged before Mr Wodehouse with thinking, no doubt, that the present stowing away on board the steamer Chingtu dynasty would stand a poor chance against which left yesterday for Australia, and ambitious revolutionist proclaimed that he six men were charged with aiding and was a lineal descendant of the Mings and abotting them. The evidence showed that Mr Beart (of Mesers Butterfield and Swire) to storm a neighbouring fort. But went on board the steamer to make the officials were prepared, and very soon gave usual investigations, going with her from the anchorage and coming ashore at to relate, about half of their number were Quarry Bay. While he was on board he killed outright, and the other half were found these men, and had them taken to the Central Police Station. Acting upon in full battle array, with drams beating the information given by the men. Inspector Hennessey had other six men arrested, these men having undertaken to assist the first four in obtaining free passages to Australia. Mr Wodehouse fined the stowaways \$25 each, while five that the Morcors' Company are confident of the others were fined \$500 each. One man was discharged.

This afternoon an interesting coromony. took place at the Government Offices. The occasion was a presentation to Mr H. P. Tooker (who is to be married next week) congratulated my informants, telling them by his brother officers of the Public Works Department. There was a large attendance of officers. The Hon. F. A. Cooper who made the presentation did so in happy and well-chosen words, conveying to Mr thus joins the City, he might be asked to of the College in a highly creditable manuer, Tooker the wishes of the Department that sit on the London Board of one of the he would have much happiness and prosperity as a member of the noble army of that as the head of a City Company, a Alfred, Benedicts. Mr Tooker in neat and suitable terms accepted, and returned thanks | Cecil might continue in dignified usefulness for the gifts, which were both hand- a career that has been characterized by some and valuable and were supplied by Mesars Falconer and Co., Queen's Road. They consisted of a case of fish knives glass cover. The plate on the case had a the following inscription :- To H. P. Tooker, Esq. Presented by the Officers of the Public Works Department, Hongkong, December, 1892.

YESTERDAY a very heartless case of 'squeezing' came before Captain Hastings at the Magistracy. A few days ago a Chinese girl gave birth to an illegitimate child in a house at Yaumati, where she resides with her mother. On the ground floor of the house there lived a man and a woman who thought this an opportunity for extorting money from the poor people, and accordingly they demended a sum of money to propitiate their joss who had been descerated as they asserted because of what had occurred in the house. From sheer inability to meet the demand, the mother and her daughter had to get rid of the extortioners as best they could. Not to be denied the man called in the aid of two late informers who carried off the quilt which covered the poor girl. lukong heard of the affair, and on Wedneshouse, where he found the girl lying child from the severe cold. The three men and the woman were arrested. On Council now want, we are determined to the way to the Police Station, one of the late informers threatened the principal witpelled to come into Court by the Inspector. Two of the men were sentenced to four months' hard labour each, and the third to six months' hard labour, the two additional months being for threatening the witness. The women was dismissed with a caution. Captain Hastings said it was disgraceful that s woman in misfortune should have been treated in this heartless manner whon she ought rather to have met with compassion from one of her own sex. He ordered the money found on one of the prisoners to be taken for the rademption from pawn of the

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WE are given to understand, says the liquidation of the Stogapore Insurance Contpany, if any authority were possessed of bability, be willing to offer a num for the concern equivalent to \$15 per share. Of the liquidator is appointed.

the Viceroy's assistance in raising a loan paragu. of a million tacks; the money so obtained to be used in continuing the work on the iron and coal mines of Hopen, which would have to be either closed, or worked outside not be forthcoming. Li Hungchang, we are also informed, has consented with the characteristic reply that " Had he such an amount ready at his disposal he

says :- A very strange story comes from village about 18 miles from here. inhabitants into a belief that a cortain medicine which he sold to them would have the effect of rendering them impervious to powder and shot. Acting upon this, and such odds, they armed and drilled. One rightful heir to the throne. Anxious to distinguish himself, he led on his followers them a practical leason as to the relativequalities of the above-mentioned articles. taken prisoners. A detachment of braves and mounted officials left here this morning and colours flying for the scene of action; the affair seems to have caused considerable excitement amongst the Natives generally.

MR Arnot Reid, writing from London on the 18th November, to the Straits Times, says: 'They say in the City, that on the 1st of September of 1893 they will be able to carry out their proposal to cleot Sir Cecil Clementi Smith to office in the Company. Sir Cool has, it is said, practically arranged not to seek further Crown employment, and to consent to be put in nomination at the Mercers' Company at that date. In that matter I have that even those of us who have sometimes been keen opponents of Sir Cecil Smith's Colonial policy, can conceive of no one who would hold such office with greater tact or lend to it greater dignity of demoanour. It is also being auggested that, if Sir Cecil great Eastern Banks. Sir Cecil Smith is Rodolfo (a Brigand Chief) yet in the prime of life; and the feeling is Director of a Bank, and, possibly, as member of the House of Commons, Sir remarkable tact and by great self-control.

THE Shanghai Mercury is informed that Mr : Mr E. Danenberg. Nicholas Roderick O'Conor, C.B., C.M.G., Bishop Raimondi, at the close of the and forks, and a gilt clock on stand with the new British Minister to Peking, has musical programme, said-It is my pleasant presented his credentials to the Emperor in duty to express to your Excellency our best | many subjects—three or four special sub- quim be appointed liquidator. person. The seremony took place on the and sincerest thanks for your kindness in nent monogram on it, whilst the clock bore 13th inst., the place selected for the Audience coming to present the prizes at our College. not being the out-house to which all the As to the year's progress of St. Joseph's Ministers humbly walked to see the son of College you may learn from the Report Heaven' at that unfortunate Audience in which will be read. I will content myself the spring of last year, but the Cheng by mentioning that the good results of the Kuang-tien, well within the precincts of the examination are not only attributable to the Imperial Palace, where the Austrian Minis- diligence of the boys but also to the ter Baron von Biegeleben was received by teachers who belong to the Society of the Emperor in October last. The Cheng | Christian Brothers. The Christian Bro-Kuang-tien is a building to which no excepthers belong to a Society devoted to the tion we believe, can be taken, its traditions being very different from that of the Tse Kuang-ko or 'Hall of Tributary Nations.' We are not yet in receipt of the particulars education to the young. They are eminent of the latest Audience, except that we hear ly qualified for the teaching of the young. it war slightly longer than any of ita predecessors and is regarded as satisfactory, has not proved his ability to teach. With Meanwhile the Russian Minister, Count such teachers it is no wonder that the Cassini, and the French Minister, M. papils of St. Jeseph's College are well Lemaire, are still kicking their heels about taught (applause). The Brother Director in Peking without having so far been able will read the report. to procure a satisfactory settlement of their Rev. Father Abban said-Your Excelview of the Audience Question, and neither leney. my lord, ladies and gentlemen. has yet presented his oredentials. The _I am much pleased to have the honour Austrian Minister scored a point when he of placing before you the report of refused to go to the Tse Kuang-ko and had the College for 1892. This custom has his Audience in the Cheng Kuangtien, and been departed from for the nast we are glad that the British Minister has vears, but in deference to Bishop Raimoninisted upon presenting his credentials only di's wishes we return to the old lines. to the Emperor in person and in a proper Tho health of the school is good, and the and fitting place.

Ir is not often in our Legislative Council, says the Times of Ceylon, that Government day night Inspector Hanson called at the suffer a defeat, for the good and sufficient reason that they are always in a majority. But they underwent this novel, and, doubtwithout a cover, as she had used the less unpleasant, experience on the occasion single blanket left them to protect her of the Committee stage of the Municipal Council's Ordinance. In effect, Government said, 'no matter what the Municipal give them what they first asked for. attempt was frustrated, however, and the unoffici ils, sided by the Surveyor-General. ness who wanted to retract, but was com- beat the Government on a division and carried the amendments required. - Comment. ing on this, the Penang Gazette says :- On Saturday we noted the defeat of the Hongkong Government in committee of supply To-day we give an account of the defeat of the Ceylon Government in committee the Municipal Council's Ordinance. Mauritius defeated the Government on the question of the military contribution a year ago. even a bank, has members who left the assembly when they were outvoted and thereusefulness sa public representatives is much impaired and, as a consequence, the Colony is robbed and imposed upon. If the un-Ir is mooted in Chinese official circles that be outvoted as they have done hitherto. Liu Kun-yi, the Governor-General of the the chances are that one day they will be the Throng to allow the establishment of a vant of the Colony, who holds his place at naval school in Shaughai, says the Mercury. | the will of the Colonial Office, electing to It is not yet known whether the school is suffer the consequences of dismissal rather composition is the brightest glory of diligence, attention, and faithfulness. to be partly under European superintend. I than continue to be implicated longer in ence or entirely under Chinese naval-officers carrying out the instructions of the strong gratifying to us, but we respectfully beg around us to think that some of the who have received their education in to rob the week. Such an official would doubtless suffer for his temerity, but he would not suffer long. There are free too difficult in some subjects, and his test too late to refer to any modern instances, but Colonies which would be proud to give such s man an appointment equal to if not better than that which he would lose here. There are places under the crown where that which is noble and right is held in

prudent or politic.

Pih-ch'en obtained permission of the Throne, through the assistance of Li Hung-chang. has sold his interest to a Chinese syndicate. at the head of which is Sheng Taotai, whose finger just now seems to be in everybedy's pie. Shong has not allowed the grass to grow under his feet since taking over the mines. for we hear that an Euglish mining engineer named Bratt has been engaged to go to Hsuchow in company with some Chinese officials sent by Sheng, to investigate the mines and to give an exhaustive report on them. The expedition will start within a week from this port for Chinkiang, we believe, and from thence overland to Hau-chow, which belongs to this province-Kiangau. The whole journey to and fro and the time required to go over the wines will probably consume about three months. We believe that Mr S. J. Morris was the first to discover these mines and point out their value to the Chinese.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES AT ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

SPEECH BY H. E. SIR WILLIAM ROBINSON. The annual exhibition and presentation of prizes took place at St. Joseph's College vesterday evening. His Excellency Sir William Robinson, who was accompanied by Lady Robinson, presided. The large classroom was crowded with the parents and friends of the children, and amongst the visitors were - Right Rev. Bishop Raimondi. His Honour Mr Fielding Clarke (Chief Justice) and Mrs Fielding Clarke. Mr J. Francis, Q.C., and Mrs Francis, Rev. Bateson Wright, Victoria College, Lieut, Paget, R. N., Mr W. Machell, &c.

Prior to the presentation of the prizes. the drama in three acts, entitled 'The Young Captives' was played by the pupils

Frederick ((Bons of the Count) ... H. Morrison.

Several choruses were sung very tuncfully by the boys and solos were sung by Master F. Lopes and Muster C. Osmund. and a planeforte overture was played by

promotion of education, and which 10,000 members scattered through the world engaged in providing primary and secondary Nose is accepted into the Brotherhood who

attendance of the children excellent. They are passionately fond of physical drill, and the warmest thanks of the brothers. parents, and pupils are due to your Excollerey and to Lady Robinson for your presence at the boys' parade of November 14th. The gentlemen of Hongkong gave us the means of supplying the cricketers with a complete outfit. We wish them all prosperity for their princely generosity. A difference, of opinion having arisen as to the shoice of centre for the Oxford Local solves in 1890 and 1891 passad creditably in the obligatory subjects, some in French. and nearly all in mensuration, trigonometry, book-keeping, and drawing. the Belilios Trust Examinations.

Exemination we sent up no candidates this Those boys who presented themmedals and prizes, held last year, our boys took lst, 3rd, and 4th piaces. We have added two important branches of study to phonography. The result of the grant-in-Standard VI. Those remarks are most is very gratifying to the people of all classes leave to object to the severity of Dr Eitel's greatest men and women in present and examination. His questions are entirely past history arose from the people. It is

of three problems, two of which must be right to qualify for a pass, is hardly a fair one. Otherwise our Inspector is a bind and considerate examiner. In connection with this matter we commend to your higher esteem than that which is merely Excellency's kind consideration Article 22, is the newdent of politic.

boys will be able to compete with some of Mr Fielding Clarke, has, however, kindly that it was a fact that seven of the Warden of Trinity College, Glenalmond. the junior classes very shortly. (Applause.) consented to present them instead, if you mortgages would be paid immediately, at Perthahire, which he held for seven years. I am convinced that physical drill is an | will excuse me. (Applauss). admirable institution in every possible way; it not only makes boys smart and active out of school but smart and in. by the pupils. talligent and subject to better discipline in school. I have always thought that mens sana in corpore sano was the thing to be aimed at in all colleges and schools. The worthy Brother who read the report made some remarks about the severity of Dr Eitel's examination. He says :- 'His | questions are entirely too difficult in some subjects and his test of three subjects, two ing of the above-named Company was held of which must be right to qualify for a pass, at the Exchange Room, Exchange Buildis hardly a fair one.' You must know that ings, Singapore, on 16th inst. when the tests applied by the Inspector of the subjoined resolution, which

the worthy Brother, because he stated in Dassed that test. Woll, if 95 per cent. ies Ordinance, 1889. have passed, it surely council be very | Mr J. F. Craig (Messrs Syme and Co much too severe, and I think if the occupied the chair. test were reduced we should also have to The Chairman read the notice calling reduce the grant in-aid, and I suspest the meeting, and also asked if anybody our worthy Brother would rather prefer the wished to say anything before his putting grant-in-sid to remain at the present figure. | the resolution to the meeting; no one re-(Laighter.) Then he also called my a tention to Article 22 of the Education Code. meeting. Thirteen were for and eight He says - This article | resses with much | against, and the resolution was therefore force on Standards IV., V., VI. and on the confirmed on the show of hands. The health of teachers and scholats. Now, this Chairman thou declared the resolution article of which complaint is made allows contirmed. masters to present scholars in any number of special subjects, and I think the hardship is caused by the masters piling so subjects. That is where the hardship comes | Baid that, by way of amendment, he would in, I think, In England the rule is that no scholar may be presented for examination in more than two special subjects, and if the masters of schools throughout the mity in the matter. He suggested that, island with for the adoption of the English for the liquidation, they should have system I do not think there would be any | committee which would represent the views objection whatever to it, but I think it of everybody. He, therefore, suggested the would be very much better for boys to have names of the Chairman as most qualified thurough knowledge of two special sub- and Mr John France as a very experienced ects than to have a lesser and perhapa superficial knowledge of four or five. That is a matter I will be happy to take into con- | holders be also one of the liquidators. He sideration with the Executive Council if the | did not think that anything better could managers of schools desire it. * The absence | of a seventh atandard is a direct hindrance to the education of the colony. That is another remark made in the report. I believe myself that from an educational point of view a seventh standard would be a most desirable introduction. I don't know what Dr Rateson Wright may think-I see that he is here—but I believe it would enable parents to keep their boys at school probably a year or a year and a half longer are more able to acquire and retain knowlodge than at the time they generally leave point of view it would be a very excellent But then comes the question of money. matter of money, you know. They say

than now, just at that time when boys at present. (Hear, hear.) From that improvement to add a seventh standard. 12,500 in all. The Governor has not a free hand in the that he has, but it is the Legislative Council who hold the pure more or less. If we introduce a seventh standard there will be some additional expenditure required, and when you come to think of the fact that there are 20,000 children in the colony who have no elementary education. it is very questionable whither we can do. more at present for the higher standards I must admit that the contribution which Hongkong makes towards education is not so large as it is in the Stratta Settlementa. or Ceylon, or even in Mauritins, but I think if more money is given it will have to be given for the education of those noor neglected children who are with out any education at all I should like to say a few words to the bove our course of instruction; physiology and before I go. First on behalf of all the ladies and gentlemen here aid examination for 1892 has been most sent I have to thank them for the capi-And British Honduras, a Colony without satisfactory; of the 144 hoys presented 137 tal representation of the drama-the soulpassed, giving a percentage of 95. Seven. stirring drama-which they have given us. ty-eight pupils were examined in special and I was very glad to see that the villain which was made to them this morning. upon obtained a revision of their constitution subjects, taking 258 papers. H.M. In- of the piece was very readily converted tion. This seems to be the only Colony spector of Schools, in speaking of the from the error of his ways. (Laughter.) where the members of Council are without upper standards, says, 'The result of the I also much thank them for the singing, that sense of dignity without which their special subjects is very good. Standard which was very good. It is very difficult V,-This class distinguished itself by to address boys I know, because one is apt uniformly gook work in all ambjects, but to think that the boys forget the advice we particularly in grammer and geography. give them; that it goes in at one ear and official members consent longer to sit and Standard VI. - Very good work was present. out at the other; but still I should like to ed in all subjects; but grammar, composi- tell you boys that you cannot too soon tion, and mathematics were specially good. realise the necessity for attention, dili-Lising, will shortly memorialise put to the shame of seeing some paid ner. As to grammer, however, I must say that gence, and faithfulness. I am very glad every class from Standard III. to Standard to see from the report that the attendance VI. showed very good results. English has been very good, and therefore I say-

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CORRESPONDENT writes to the N.-C. | much force on Standards IV., V., VI. and | take for example the patron said that the liquidators | adhered to the proposal of Mr Meritz Levy Daily Mens that the Fuping, on her way on the health of teachers and scholars. College-Joseph. He was only a carpen would have power to accept the offer at as a step in the right direction. Sir W down the Peiho, had to blow her whistle to We trust that your Government will either fer. Then there is the other Joseph once. What he wished to put before Houldsworth submitted a plan for forming warn carts to get out of her way. This, I have it removed from the code or modified, about whom you probably know more, them was that they had an effer from the a Bimetallie Union by those nations so inbelieve, adds the writer, is not a yarn. The absence of a seventh standard is a You know how he was sold into Straits Insurance Co., to buy the whole clined, the others retaining the gold stand-Straits Times, that, in connection with the but it does not happen overy day that land direct hindrance to the education of the land direct hindrance to the land direct hi and water traffic impede one another. I colony. Our establishment is indebted to rose to be second in the land of Pharach, whole assets at \$15 per share, to take over bullion and stating the equivalent in gold suppose three inches of ice will bear carts the Hen. E. R. Belilios for two scholar- Take another case, the case of David-a everything. The directors were of opinion at a rate fixed by international agreement; ships and for valuable yearly prizes. The little shepherd boy who kept his father's that the offer was far from being good receipts to circulate as money. He thought other generous denors we thank most sheep diligently and faithfully in the desert enough, and they determined that each this plan would restore bimetallism over A POINT of some interest in connection with cordially for their annual gitte. These for steppes of Judes. There he acquired that an offer should not be accepted because is large area. the recent railway accident near Thirsk whose special bonefit this institution is strength courageandendurancewhich disting the directors were morally convinced that was the part played by the penny news- conducted do not forget that this handsque guished him through life. If he had not been they would get more for their business. papers with insurance coupons. One of the | building owes its existence to the untiring a good and dutiful shepherd boy, attending | Since then the Straits Insurance Comvictime, a poor man, secured to his two sis- zeal of our Venerable Bishep and to the his father's flock as he should do, he would pany had sent in another offer, which had PRIVATE letter from Tientein informs us ters no less a sum than £2,500, in that, protection of the British Government. We not have been made that morning, and upon which with the Duke of Abercorn as President (sigs the Shanghai Mercury,) that Chang through avoident or foresight, copies of thank your Excellency for presiding at our good king he was. Whenever the eyes of there had not been time to get the opinion and Mr Ceoil Rhodes as managing director, Chih-lung, the Viceroy of Hu-kuong, has Pearson's Weekly, Answers, and one or two distribution of prizes, as also the other your masters are upon mon do as well as of the directors. He then proceeded to for the construction of the proposed telesent a weiguan to Li Hung-chang to solicit others of these journals were found upon his gentlemen who have honoured as with you can, and whom they are not upon you read the offer. The Straits Fire Insurance then try to do a little better if possible. Co. made an offer to take over all the at a cost of four hundred thousand punds. His Excellency, who was well re- We cannot all be Prime Ministers or kings, Singapore Co.'s 1893 Fire and Marine Something like ten years ago (5298 the coived, said-My lord Bishop, ladies but we can all hee good lives, and by those Risks in consideration of the Singapore Shanghai Mercury) a Taotai named Wu and gentlemen, I need hardly say lives influence for good those with whom Insurance Co. paying to the Straits Co. a that I have attended this distribution of we come into contact. The worthy and sum of \$90,000. prizes-they are not yet distributed, how- excellent Bishop has been mentioned in the Chairman, addressing Mr A. S. ever-this function, with a great deal of last paragraph of the report, which says, Murray, asked if that offer had been conin the prefecture of Han how, just south pleasure and a great deal of satisfaction, Those for whose special benefit this in firmed. of the Yellow River. Either through mis- and I think we must all admit that the stitution is conducted do not forget that Mr A. S. Murray replied in the affirmsor the remove revers. Enther through report which has just been read by the this handsome building owes its existence tive, and said that the letter had been management, official peculations, or through report which has just been read by the this handsome building owes its existence tive, and said that the letter had been management, omenat pecuations, of through Brother Director is most grafffying from to the untiring zeal of our venerable Bi- written somewhat harriedly, and that it want or minds, neither sustenders not out. all points of view. I think we may feel shop.' Now I do not think that anyone in was understood that they would not take master of Trinity College, Cambridge), and siders have heard anything of these minus. siders have nearn anything of these matter of the colony need be reminded of a fact of that the Fire by itself, nor the Marine by nephew of the celebrated poet, born in 1806, for the last three; or four years, so that most sure that St. Joseph's College is a judiciousof the victims had come to consider the ly organized and highly effective institu- sort, because it must be perfectly well itself. of the victims and come to consider the that the Church, Orford, where he obtained, among they had sunk in the Hall-chew from ton. The report shows an improvement known to all of you what is known to me, The Chairman pointed out that the Church, Orford, where he obtained, among money they had sunk in the insu-cadwaron on last year and the result has mainly a comparative stranger, that for 35 or 38 Fire business could be cancelled by a other distinctions, two Chanceller's prizes,

Mirrer a dead loss, dust as no the share- been attained by special attention to years the worthy Bishop has laboured in clause in all their policies by a repay- that for Latin verse in 1827, and for the holders in certain alleged tin and silver and been attained by special attention to years the worthy Bishop has laboured in all their policies by a repay- that for Latin verse in 1827, and for the holders in certain sueged the and survey and subjects of the higher classes, and the tho good cause of education in the colony, ment of the unexpired premis, by which Latin Essay in 1831, and was placed in the gold mines promoted in changing, out which shall be no loss. The offer first class of Litera Humaniores, when he shall be nameless because they are notorious. grant-in-aid, referred to in the report as (Applaine). I am perfectly sure that he had be no loss. The offer first class of Litera Humaniores, when he shell be nameless decause they are undertous. The college, amounts to \$2,000 has in that direction sown much good seed from the Straits was inclusive of the took the degree of B. A. in 1830. In rewe now learn, nowever, that the degree of it. A. in 1830. In reconcessionaire, we in the land of the learnings, and it amounts to about \$11.23 ing and will blossom hereafter. You boys as the other. The Chairman then proceeded was appointed to a studentship by the Dean way, is also said to have such something earnings, and it amounts to about \$11.23 ing and will blossom hereafter. You boys as the other. The Chairman then proceeded was appointed to a studentship by the Dean way, is also call to have blue surfaced the series of the He was no less distinguished for athletic like a hundred thousand tacks in the mines. for each scholar in average attendance. I ought to try to realise how much you are to go into a statement of affairs of the He was no less distinguished for athletic think that is very satisfactory indeed. The indebted not only to the venerable Bishop Singapore Insurance Company as made up exercises, being, in 1829, one of the Oxford report, of which I hold a copy in my but to the worthy Christian brothers who till the 80th September 1892; between eight, and also one of the Oxford eleven. hand, refers to several subjects on which I devote so much time to teach you. You which date and this, they expected the and successful in both encounters with the should like to make a few remarks. It have in the Bishop and in them living ex- premia to estimate between \$17,000 and sister University. After taking his B. A. is very gratifying to Lady Robinson and amples of unselfishness and self-sacrifice \$20,000 to come in. If they got this, it degree, he remained at Christ Church for myself to know that our presence at the for the good of education and for the in- would leave them : Assets at date \$660,590 | two or three years as a private tutor, and physical drill parade was so much ap- terests of their Mother Church. (Ap- plus expected \$17,000 or \$20,000. From had among his pupils the late Duke of Newpreciated. I can assure you that it was plause.) I have only again to thank you, this were to be taken the \$90,000 to be castle, the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone. one of the most enjoyable afternoons we my lotd, for asking me to come here and paid to the Straits. So, thus, they were Cardinal Manning, and other celebrated have ever spent in Hongkong, and we you boys for the kind reception and en- within \$1,100 of their share capital which men. In 1835 he was elected Second Master were so pleased with the will the testainment you have given us. I am sor- was intended in their books, of Winchester College, an office which up to boys that we have established a little ry to say that I shall not be able to present the difference being between \$15 and \$20 that time had never been conferred on anyphysical drill at Government House-we the prizes myself, as we have promised to per share. They had \$100,000 to go upon one educated at Winchester. On account of have a class among our two boys ourselves. dine with the Admiral at a quarter to eight for possible losses on the Battery Road weak health, he resigned in 1845, and ac-

> left the College hearty cheers were given Mr Fielding Clarke presented the prizes, and the proceedings were terminated with a vote of thanks to him for doing so.

THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. TO BE VOLUNTARILY LIQUIDATED. An extraordinary general general meet-Schools are necessarily more severe than passed at the extraordinary general the tests applied in England because the meeting of the Company held on the 18th

grant-in aid is more liberal here than it is day of November, 1892, was submitted for in England, and I am afraid I hardly follow | confirmation as a special resolution, viz. : That the Company be wound up volunthe report that 95 per cent. of the boys had tarily under the provisions of the Compan-

plying, the resolution was put to the

Continuing, he said that the next business was the appointment of liquidators. Mr Pertile proposed that Mr J. P. Jea-

like to sav. in the first place, that he was sorry that there had been a lot of had feeling, but now there was a prospect of unaniliquidator, and that Mr J. P. Jonquin representing a great many of the sharebe done, because he knew they had in view an arrangement which was better than anv. thing that could be expected;

Mr Boggardt seconded. Mr Pertile then withdrew his resolution. The resolution was then put to the far legitimate purposes. mosting to the effect that Messra J. F. Craig, John Frazer and J. P. Joaquim be

any two of thern. The resolution was carried upanimously. | massapred in Central Africa. Mr Earle then proposed that the liquidators be paid not less than 82,500, the basis being \$1,500 for \$15 per share and 5% on every dollar above that, but not less than

Mr Bognardt proposed that the liquida- a struggle between manufacturers and worktors should be paid \$500 each and 5%. divisible among them for anything that the unfriendly attitude of Canada, and was made above \$15 a share. Mr Earle-I would add to Mr Bogsardt's | Canal around Niegara, to open up ship motion, the words:- not less than

\$2.500 for the liquidators. Mr Cameron seconded, saying that there | America independent of the Canadian canals, was a good doal of work for them and he He strongly favors State support for the did not think \$2,500 too much.

The amendment, as not by Mr Bogaardt, was then carried by twelve against two. The Chairman said that the directors wished to recommend to the liquidators two proposals from the Straits Insurance Company for the purchase of the Singapore Company's business. The first proposal was for the purchase of the business including the aspets. The second proposal was for the purchase of the 1892 business with all accounts, outstanding claims, known and unknown. If these were ascented, it would have to be carried by a special meeting of shareholders. He

quidators before a general meeting.

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(Applause). We hope that our two little this evening. My friend the Chief Justice, property and the mortgages. He believed cepted in 1846 the appointment of first least so soon as the return was demanded. In 1862 he was elected Bishop of the United An His Excellency and Lady Robinson This only left four properties to be Dioceses or St., Andrew's, Dunkeld, and sold, the losses on which might be any- Dunblane, and at the installation of the where between \$10,000 and \$20,000. late Earl of Derby as Chancellor, in 1853. There might be a loss on the Battery Road | was admitted to the honorary degree of property. These were the only two losses. D. C. L., by the University of Oxford. In The losses, if there were any, on the bad | 1854 he resigned the Wardenship of Glenaldebts at the agencies, those known up to | mond, and has since devoted himself excludate, amounted to between Rs. 3,000 and sively to the duties of the episcopate, taking

undertook to collect for them by their church. He was one of the New Testament. agents any not premia outstanding at their | Company for the Revision of the authorised agencies free. They then had a large version of the Bible. The published works margin to pay a dividend of over \$15 per | of the Bishop of St. Andrew's are chiefly of a share. The directors thought the position | theological character. - Men of the Time. was much better now than they expected, THE AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE-ERSOLUand they had very fair prospects of disributing \$ 18 per sharp unless some unforesoen losses came forward. Neither the the Agricultural Conference, at which liquidators nor the directors were in a lifteen hundred delegates were present, a position to guarantee nuything. It was only whether the meeting thought the tion, and urging the Government to support offer good enough to be accepted. Several bimetallism at the Brussels Conference. shareholders, a large portion of the shareholders represented by proxics in the hands of one or two gentlemen, he believed, would be more satisfied to accept \$15 ! straight out from the Straits Co. A great

they had still the liability until all the offenders. In raply to a question, the Chairman said that by liquidating with the Straits Insurance Co. for \$90,000, it would be reinsuring and not a sale.

the acceptance of the offer needed a spe- the planting industry and exchange. They cial resolution.

In connection with the liquidation of the Singapore Insurance Company, Limit- Government of India was prejudiced ab d, we understand that the offer of Straits Insurance Company to take over

TELEGRAMS BY THE GERMAN

MAIL. THE PANAMA CANAL SCANDALS. Paris. December 5 .-- M. Albert Grevy. Renault; and asveral others who received cheques, have testified before the Committee of Enquiry that the cheques were

REPORTED MASSACRE IN CENTRAL AFRICA Landon. December 6. - Persistent reports appointed joint liquidators, and that their lare current that the Belgian military expepowers as tiquidators may be exercised by divious against the slave dealers, under Captains Jucques and Joubert, have been

PRESIDENT HARRISON'S MESSAGE TO

CONGRESS Washington, December 6. - President Harrison, in his message to Congress, predicts that the New Tariff Policy will entail men, and also great distress. He refers to advises the construction of an American communication between the great lakes and an American seeport, thus rendering Nicaragua Canal. As regards the Silver Question. be believes that if the Monetary Conference fails, the now reluctant nations will be compelled to co-operate with America in extending the use of eilver. In conclusion he advises legislation to meet the drain of gold to Europe.

THE MONETARY CONFERENCE.

Brussels, December 6.—The Conference debate on the schemes put forward by Messrs Rothschild, Moritz Levy and Soctbeer was resumed to-day. Sir Rivers Wilson. said that the suspension of the monthly purchases of silver made by the American Government might lead to the suspension said that the directors recommended of the free soinage in India. He declared a small force which overthrew Afzul-ul-Mulk the shareholders to accept the proposition | that a single gold standard was alone applicable to Great Britain. Bir Rivers Wilson Jemadar Rab Nawaz Khan, who was in Mr Earle:-For my part, as I am no and Mr Fremantle were unable to support Chitral at the time, has reported to this longer a Director but a private member, the schemes of Mr Rothschild and Mr effect. I am not prepared to discuss the terms Moritz Levy. Mr Rothschild announced of the liquidation. I think any proposal that he would withdraw his proposals if should be carefully considered by the li- the American delegates refused to support | tion of Gurkhas with two Mountain gung them. Mr Macreary, one of the American for the Southern Lushai country leaves Cal. The Chairman said that it was to delegates, prophesied the withdrawal of the cutta in a few days. Most satisfactory ac. Bave time that he brought this forward. silver law of 1891. Sir Guildford Moles, counts come from the Lushai border of the The offer from the Straits would only re- worth said he was no advocate of partial | working of the policy of disarmament adopt. main in force until to-morrow at 12 o'clock purchases of silver, and that India wanted | ed by the Chief Commissioner of Assum. moon (Friday.) He understood that this stubility in the price of silver. He depré. Arms are being brought in freely to Fort was so, in order that the business might cated a sudden rise in price equally as a Aijal and Changeil, and the future quiet of be going on under their management with sudden fall. Sir Guildford Molesworth. | that disturbed corner of the frontier seems while adhering to himetallism as the only to be more truly assured than at any time The Hon. A. L. Donaldson-I think the true remedy, was ready to accept anything offer is one of those which will have to be in order to avert the frightful catastrophe feared by Mr Rothschild. He therefore

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London, December 6 .-- The Daily Chronicle states that negotiations have already commenced for the formation of a Company. graph line from the Zambesi, to Wadyhalfa, The Daily Chronicle's statement has since been confirmed.]

DEATH OF BISHOP WORDSWORTH. London. December 6.—The death is anpounced of Dr Wordsworth, Bishop of St

Wordsworth, the Right Rev. Charles, D.D. and D.C.L., Bishop of St. Andrew's, Dunkeld, and Dunblane, accord son of the late Dr Christopher Wordsworth [many years Rs. 4,000. The Straits Insurance Co. an active part in the affairs of the Scottish

TION IN FAVOUR OF PROTECTION. Loodon. December S .- At a mosting of resolution was passed in favour of Protec-

A DISGRACEFUL OUTRAGE. Allahabad, November 30 .- The Morning Post reports a disgraceful outrage at Lucknow, where some ruffians placed a collarand worn-out shoes on the shoulders of the many of the other shareholders were not Queen's Statue in the People's Park. A reprepared to accept it. If they took it, ward of R200 is offered for the arrest of the

THE INDIAN PLANTERS AND THE CURRENCY AGITATION. Madras. December 2. - The Wynaud Planters' Association has just issued its answer to the reply of the Government of India to Mr Donaldson again pointed out that the Darjeeling planters in the matter of maintain that the agitation of the Indian The Chairman thon said that that con- Currency Association is not for the advancluded the business. The meeting then tage of India as a country, that it is got up chiefly and supported by Government officials and such classes as professional men. middlemen, and salaried employes. The initio owing to its being composed of these officials and owing to its balance sheet the 1892 ricks for \$90,000 is almost sure to | being seriously affected by low exchange. on accepted by the liquidators, |-Straits Government officials and their supporters were not so closely in touch with the lower classes of Natives nor as competent to arrive at true opinions affecting the trade of

the country as the Planters' Association. They then deal seriation with the aren. ments of Government, and fically maintain that an artificial enhancement of the value of the rupes would not add to the welfare of . . India as a whole, because any gain obtained by reducing the home charges and the interest on the gold debt would be more thancounterbalanced by the loss inflicted on the trade and revenue of India; that the gain would be illegitimate and injurious as benofiting only a small class at the expense of producers who form the mass of the country. The Association is the most

THE FRONTERS. A shabad, December 1.- A fresh tovoution seems imminent in Chitral. It appears that Nizam-ul Mulk, who was Governor of Yasin when Amau-ul-Mulk died and was driven out when Afzul made the bold stroke which won him the Mehtarship, crossed the frontier a few days around is said to have been at once joined by a force of many hundrade sent by Sher Aizul to seize Yasin. He is now reported to be marching on Mastuj and expected to capture Chitral imme-

influential in this Presidency.

Meanwhile a small force from Gilgit has rrived at Gupies, two marches beyond the frontier covering the Yasin, Gilgit and Ishkuman valler. The object is to ensure the eafety of our Agent in Chitral, to put an end to anarchy in the country by moral pressure and to be in a position to treat with whoever is Mohtar with authority and prevent the irruption of the Indus Valley

As doubts are still expressed as to whether the Afghan troops accompanied Sher Afzul in his successful venture into Chitral. the Pioneer states that its news regarding the presence of only eight Afghans with is fully confirmed. The British Agent

LUSHAI LAND. Allahabad, December 1 .- A small expedi. since our first contact with it. The transfer of control of the Southern

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Alert	German cruiser	1342		-	Captain von Frantzius	Singapore
Alexandrine	French ganboat	470		440	Commander Journet	Kinkiang
Aspio		462	7		Captain J. J. Moreira	Macao
Bengo	Portuguese gunboat	3730	8	a ,	Captain Romey	Kobe
Charleston	U. S. cruiser	750	-	-	Captain Kabouratse	Yokohama
Ohishima	Japanese gruiser	14 0	4	1100	Captain S. Palermo	Shanghai
Ourtatone	Italian aloop	706			Captain H. M. Gomes	Macao
Dia	Portuguese gunboat		-		Capt. Alessen	Nagasaki
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<u>litia</u>	German gunbost	489			Capt. Bory	Shanghai
Inconstant	French ganboat	800			Oapt. McCormack	Shanghai
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Loipzig	German frigate	3700		- F /		O.U.S.
Lion	French gunboat	460			Lieutenant Papaix	Touron
Latia	French gunbeat	485		434	Uaptain Nény	Nagazaki
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	7	1170	Commander Gridley	Hankow
Mandjour	Russian cruiser	1700	-	-	Captain V. Brandt	the state of the state of
Monocacy	U. S. sloop	1370	U	1470	LieutCom. Barber	Shanghai
Pamiat Azova	Russian cruiser	6500	-	-	Captain Bauer	Amoy
Paloa	U, 6, gunboat	130	6	50	Lieut. Com. Rich	Negesaki
Petrol	U. S. gunboat	884			LtCom. M. R. S. Mackennie	On a cruiss
Pluvier	French gunboat	540	_	4.20	Lieut Commander Lapied	Raiphong
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	French craiser	4500	-	3 . · · · · · · ·	Capt. Borel de Brétisel	Shanghai
Triomphante	Spanish cruiser	1130	5	1600	Captain Dies	Shanghai
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